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### NOT DIVIDED.

Together fifty years they trod The wandering ways of life; Then slept beneath the same gr Fond husband, faithful wife.

Their days to seventy years had g And, when he went away, She made no wild and bitter moan About his lifeless clay.

He died just as the morning beamed,
And she before the night;
A new, eternal bridal seemed
The solemn burial rite.

In the low chamber gentiy laid,
And heaped their coneh with flowers;
And in their spirits softly prayed—
"May such an end be ours!"

## The Braes of Yarrow

Historical Tale of the Sixteenth Century.

Four days after the attempt upon the King, and just eleven months after the presumed death or murder of James IV. at Flodden, the Queen Regent Margaret gave her hand in marriage, to Douglas, Eari of Angus. Many of the nobles instantly withdrew from the capital disgusted with the turn affairs had taken, and not quite sure how Angus might act towards them. Those who remained either united themselves in the factions of Arras or Angus. Conspiracies were rife, and Arran's party at first held in secret and afterwards boldly proclaimed that the Queen by her marriage had forfeited the Regency and the right of guardianship over the King.

Angus surrounded himself with a coterie of men who were bound to him by the strongest ties of self-interest; and amongst them was Heron Barras, Lord of Binram. The title and estates had been confered upon him as the aephew of the late lord, and in acknowledgment of secret service to the Government.

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was Heron Barras, Lord of Binram. The title and estates had been confered upon him as the nephew of the late lord, and in acknowledgment of secret service to the Government.

Angus, whose bearing had been always as haughty as his ambition was great, now carried himself with so much of the dictatorial sirs that all who were not bound to him by ties of interest or necessity hated him. The new Lord of Binram, who invariably wore the mask of the Jorial boon companion, was a puzzle to both factions. One thing only was certain—that he exercised much influence upon the proud Douglas.

On the day succeeding the marriage the Lords of Council were summoned together. Barely one-half of them answered the summons, and several of those who did answer it rose and quitted the chambers, in spite of the Berce looks of Angus, when they were informed that the Queen Regent had already deputed her new made husband to act for her in the Council.

The Council was broken up abruptly, and Douglas, with haughty indignation at the slight cast upon him, retired. Lord Binram—or Barras, as we had better continue to eath him—had followed Angus, and when they had reached a private apartment the Earl turned upon him sharply.

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'Ay, but they will try it.'

'Let them; you can bite, too, I suppose.'

By the sacred rood they shall find I can.' I amp leased your lordship sees it in that light; and so we will change the subject.—Have you decided how you are to dispose of Spens?

'Hang him and quarter him for an obstinate churl.'

'He deserves it certainly, but you will not do. it for all that.'

'And wherefore not?'

'Be what mean?'

'I will hand him over to Scott of Tushielaw; and if he escape him—why then let him live, in the saints' name, say I.'

Angus hestiated; then hastily wrote the order; and with it in his possession and a grim sm

As if gratified by the resolution he had come to, continued his way in search of the Governor. He found him at length and showed him the order he had obtained from the Regent's Consort.

'What do you purpose doing with him?' said the Governor, at once acknowledging the authority of his visitor.

'I will see him first, and I will tell you the rest after.'

Barras was conducted to the dungeon. At the door he dismissed the attendants and entered alone.

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The knight, although out of danger, was still feeble from the effects of the torture be had undergone. When he heard some one enter the dungeon he concluded that it was the warder, and did not look round.

Barras placed the cruzie he carried in aniche in the wall, and then stood for several minutes eyeing the prostrate form of the man he hated and had so wronged.

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Large two storey stone house, with 10 or acres attached, situate on the York Road, shounded on the south by the Eramosa river. I buildings and fences are in good-rejafr; good gon and orefard. Terms liberal and price extre by low.

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